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[] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (21 pages).
- [X] Informal drawings (7 sheets, Figures 1-7).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages).
- [X] Preliminary Amendment (6 pp)
- \[X] Assignment of the invention to Sanyo Electric Co., Ltd...
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- [X] Claim for Convention Priority with Priority Doc. No. JP2000-285204
- [] Small Entity statement.
- [] Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
- [] Information Disclosure Statement.
- [] Form PTO-1449 with copies of listed reference(s).
- [] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

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